

CAR JUMPS TRESTLE; 7 KILLED, 16 INJURED

Coach With 30 Aboard Falls 50 Feet in Georgia.

PASSENGERS ARE HEROIC

Railroad Official Blames Accident on Breaking of New Wheel on Front Truck.

ATLANTA, Ga., March 12.—(Special.)—Seven persons were killed and 16 injured today when a passenger coach on the Atlanta, Birmingham & Atlantic railroad was derailed near Union City.

Thirty persons were in the coach, the last of the train, when one of the wheels burst. The trestle was reached and almost crossed when the car suddenly turned over, tearing away from the one ahead as it fell into the shallow creek.

Six men and one woman were killed and several of the injured were not expected to live. Rescue parties worked for hours in the wreckage, releasing those imprisoned and removing the dead to hospitals here.

A graphic description of the wreck was given by H. F. Hantz, one of the survivors, who was uninjured.

Car Moves Irregularly. An irregular motion of the car just before the trestle was reached was the first indication that something was wrong, he said.

"About five seconds later," continued Mr. Hantz, "we suddenly plunged backwards into space. A crash followed and there were screams from portions of the car.

"Those of us who occupied the front section, when we regained our senses, looked for an avenue to escape. An opening was found through the front door. I managed to assist the three women who were with me through the opening and then returned to help others. One young man, apparently crushed, was the first person I found. He refused to let me help him, but urged me to assist the women and children. He sat there calmly smoking a cigarette, as if nothing out of the ordinary had occurred. I learned later on that this young man was William Cope, a newspaperman.

"I have never seen such wonderful courage as that of the women passengers."

Women Show Courage. "An example of courage displayed by one of the women convinces me that in a crisis of that kind, women are possessed with greater nerve than are men. This little woman looked as if she were dying. Her face was as white as a sheet. I bent over and asked her how she was feeling.

"I'm all right; don't bother me. Help the others," she cried. B. L. Bugz, receiver of the railroad, issued a formal statement tonight, stating that the accident was caused by the breaking of a new wheel on the front truck of the coach.

HUGHES' LETTER APPROVED

PRESIDENT GLAD SECRETARY WROTE ON 4-POWER PACT.

Harding Refuses to Make Comment on Soldier Bonus Proposals in Washington.

ROCK LEDGE, Fla., March 12.—(By the Associated Press.)—President Harding today expressed approval of the letter of Secretary Hughes to Senator Underwood on the four-power Pacific treaty.

"That's fine. I am glad he did it," the president said when told by newspaper men the substance of the letter as carried in news dispatches from Washington.

The houseboat carrying the president and Mrs. Harding and their party, which is cruising down the Florida east coast, had stopped for a few minutes here for mail, telegrams and newspapers.

Among those who welcomed the president and Mrs. Harding on their brief stop here today were Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Kling and daughter. Mr. Kling is a brother of Mrs. Harding and lives at Rock Ledge. Both the president and Mrs. Harding recognized them before the boat docked, and greetings were exchanged.

The entire day was spent by the president and his party aboard the houseboat proceeding leisurely down the coast.

Just how far south the president plans to go remains unknown. No expression has come from the president on the proposed soldier bonus legislation beyond the statement carried in his letter to Chairman Fordney of the house ways and means committee, but developments in congress as reported daily in Washington news dispatches are among the first things which have attracted the attention of the party. To each request for any statement from the president on the newest house proposal, the bonus administration spokesman has said the president's position is unchanged from the suggestion stated in the Fordney letter of Feb. 29, the officials insist to raise the bonus funds or postponement of the legislation.

Any other additional publications purporting to give the president's views, this same spokesman said, are nothing more than conclusions drawn by individuals.

FORGER BACK IN PRISON

C. P. SMITH IS RETURNED AS PAROLE VIOLATOR.

Clever Device Used in Operations Is Now on Exhibit at Penitentiary at Salem.

SALEM, Or., March 12.—(Special.)—C. P. Smith, who is wanted for forgery in Portland, San Francisco, Chicago, Seattle and many other cities, has been returned to the Oregon penitentiary as a parole violator.

He will be compelled to serve his unexpected term of a year, when he will be turned over to the officers of other states for prosecution.

Upon his arrival in Seattle he was stricken with illness and went to one of the larger hotels. Being without funds he went for a second-hand automobile operator, to whom he pawned a number of personal effects. This transaction was reported to the police, who subsequently recognized Smith as a parole violator from Oregon. He then was placed under arrest.

Upon Smith's return to the room in Seattle the officers found one of the most clever check-forging devices unearthed for a long time. The device was in the shape of a cigar box, the top of which was glass. Parole Officer Varney, who returned Smith to the prison, brought the check-forging device with him. It is now on exhibition at the penitentiary.

MEXICAN STRIKE IS OVER

Officers on Vessels Operated by Government Go Back to Jobs.

VERA CRUZ, March 12.—A provisional settlement of the strike of officers on the vessels operated by the Mexican Steamship company, which is controlled by the Mexican government, has been reached. The officers will perform their duties for the next ten days, during which an attempt will be made to bring about a definite settlement.

The ships which were tied up in this port by the strike have already sailed.

Robbers Kill Store Cashier.

NEW YORK, March 12.—Samuel Hadaas, cashier of a drug store at Amsterdam avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, was shot and killed by robbers who attempted to hold up the store tonight. The slayers escaped without obtaining any loot.

Dr. Joseph Hancock Dies.

CHICAGO, March 12.—Dr. Joseph Lane Hancock, well-known physician, naturalist and author, died here today. He was born here in 1854.

SPANISH IS STUDIED BY THREE SLAYERS

Dr. Brumfield Is Instructor on Murderers' Row.

JOHN RATHIE IS SILENT

Taylor's Assailant Reads Little and Says Less; All But Howard Have Appeals Up.

SALEM, Or., March 12.—(Special.)—Murderers' row in the Oregon state penitentiary, which now has a population of seven, has established a miniature school for the study of the Spanish language, officials of the institution said today.

The dean handed the palm to women for capturing the lead in eight out of 11 departments. The men held the lead in only two—chemistry and sociology—he asserted, and split even with their colored co-students in the study of biology.

When it comes to physiology, mathematics and languages, history and science students of the feminine gender kick up a really frightful dust—and their masculine partners have to eat it.

SEATTLE FUGITIVE FOUND

C. A. Trathen Surrenders When He Learns Warrant Is Issued.

DETROIT, March 12.—C. A. Trathen, vice-president of the Mutual Sales company of Seattle, Wash., surrendered to federal authorities here when he learned a warrant had been issued in Seattle charging him with using the mails to defraud. United States Commissioner Hurd fixed Trathen's bond at \$1000 and he will return to Washington voluntarily.

Trathen declared that so far as he knew his company had practiced no fraud. Persons who swore out the warrants charged the concern had advertised for men to invest from \$500 to \$750 each and were guaranteed employment at \$6 a day. A promise by the company to repurchase the stock should a client become dissatisfied was not lived up to, it was alleged.

DALTON RE-TRIAL TODAY

\$700,000 Bond Theft Charged to 17-Year-Old Bank Clerk.

CHICAGO, March 12.—William Dalton, 17-year-old ex-bank clerk, will be placed on trial for the second time tomorrow on a charge of robbing the Northern Trust company of approximately \$700,000 in Liberty bonds.

The alleged robbery took place during the noon hour at the bank where he was employed on February 24, 1921. He is accused of having walked out of the bank with the bonds in a grip on pretense of going to lunch. He was captured a few days later at Heyworth, Ill., and the bonds recovered.

At his first trial the jury disagreed, his defense being his extreme youth and the magnitude of his temptation. Since then he has continued his studies in high school.

Inclusion of Lake Opposed.

ALBANY, Or., March 12.—(Special.)—The movement to include Diamond lake in Crater lake national park is opposed by the Santiam Fish and Game association which is composed of sportsmen of this section of the state. The association has named a committee consisting of Dr. J. H. Robnett, R. M. Sloan, Frank Snyder and Jesse Bonwell, the secretary of the association, to prepare a resolution setting forth the opposition of the association to the plan.

Employment Day Designated.

DENVER, Colo., March 12.—A proclamation designating March 26 as "American Legion employment day" was issued yesterday by Earl Cooley, acting governor during the absence of Governor Oliver H. Shoup. The proclamation asks the people of Colorado to "keep faith with former service men by assisting them to secure employment," and recommending that "this campaign of voluntary effort be continued until April 16, 1922."

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Then and Now Series The Miracle of Ten Years. An advertisement for a book or series of books. It features an illustration of a street scene from 1883 and text describing the reconstruction of Portland after a major fire in 1873. The text highlights the progress made in ten years, mentioning new buildings, a street railway system, a postoffice, schools, and churches. It also mentions the Ladd & Tilton Bank, established in 1873, and its role in the reconstruction. The advertisement includes the bank's name, address (Washington at Third), and a logo for the Federal Reserve System.

Send ALL Your Washing EVEN THE FINER PIECES YOU HAVE ALWAYS BEEN AFRAID TO SEND TO THE LAUNDRY. Why suffer annoyance, inconvenience and unnecessary expense of "Wash days" every week when I can take this load off your shoulders and at the same time save you money? How many times have you found the work of your wash woman unsatisfactory? How difficult to secure a good maid if she has the family washing to do. And how great the expense. Extra expense for wash woman or maid; for electricity for washing machine and electric iron; for soap, washing powder, bluing and frequently extra meals for your help. A dozen expense items. I CAN DO YOUR WORK BETTER AND DO IT CHEAPER! I have the best laundry equipment man can devise. Skilled operators for each separate kind of work. Years of experience. I give your work my personal attention. I keep your washing separate from all others, and I place NO laundry marks on any of it. And then I save you money by charging by the pound, and not by the piece, for all work, all washed and ironed, ready to use. GIVE ME A TRIAL THIS WEEK. LET ME SHOW YOU. Phone East 3738. C. A. King. The NU-WAY Laundry. 468 Hawthorne. Spelled "NU-WAY" in the Telephone Directory—not New Way.

NEW SHOW TODAY Till Friday Only! Pola Negri in The Red Peacock a Paramount Picture. A VISION of gorgeous beauty! Flashing over the screen to the most sensational triumph of any film artist in history! Such is Europe's peerless mistress of emotion, Pola Negri. Such she is as the dazzling "Peacock," sweeping through this powerful drama. The story of a struggling girl of the slums, caught by fate and flung in the lap of riches and adulation. Then—The story of her woman's heart, that sacrificed ease and luxury and silently faced disgrace for love. A picture as brilliant as its name. See it for some new thrills! Pathe Weekly—Comedy—Cecil Teague. MAJESTIC Direction of Jensen and Von Herberg.

LIBERTY BOND. THIS WEEK. As per our usual invitation—we again call your attention to the fact that you should bring YOUNG AMERICA (A Dime—Any Time). 1 First-hand Motion Pictures of COLUMBIA RIVER HIGHWAY ICE-BOUND. 2 A Peep Into the Lives of Our First Americans. (A Scenic Novelty) 3 "OH, PROMISE ME." One of the best all round comedies we have ever shown. 4 Liberty's News Events. 5 WALLY REID in "THE CHAMPION" 6 KEATES' playing "Somewhere in Naples". Next Week "PENROD". LETTERHEADS GOOD GRADE WHITE BOND 2 1/2 x 11. \$1.50 per 1000; \$4.50 for 2500 Envelopes, \$4.00 per 1000; \$4.50 for 2500. C. O. D. or delivered if cash with order. MAIL ORDER PRINTING CO. P. O. Box 525 TACOMA, WASH.

I AM "HIS NIBS" Proprietor, manager, and picture machine operator of the 'Slippery Elm Picture Palace'. One of the seven characters played by "Chic" Sale in the most remarkable photoplay you ever saw—"HIS NIBS"—at the PEOPLES NEXT SATURDAY. TURN TO THE RIGHT COMING! It's Another Masterpiece by the Man Who Made "The Four Horsemen"